Kolar-Chintamani Road *via* Sagatur is under their contemplation;

(*b*) whether it has come to their notice that ten buses are runing on this road;

(*c*) whether it has also come to their notice that during the rainy season the route will be blocked and running of buses will be suspended causing difficulties to the public to attend to their work at district headquarters?

*A.*—Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA (Minister for Public Works and Electricity).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) 12 Buses are operating on the road.

(*c*) Bus traffic is deviated *via* Shrinivaspur or H-Cross for a day or two during the rainy season when the Somambudhi Agrahara tank surpasses.

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**Installation of Lift Irrigation Pump to North Pennar River to irrigate lands from Gummaghatta to Vaddareva Village.**

*Q.—211. Sri P. ANJANAPPA (Sira).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether they are aware that thousands of acres would be irrigated from Gummaghatta Village to Vaddareva village if water is supplied by lift irrigation pumps from the North Pennar River;

(*b*) if so, whether they would take steps in this behalf?

*A.*—Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA (Minister for public Works and Electricity).—

(*a*) Lift Irrigation from pump sets is possible. The area that could be irrigated is not assessed.

(*b*) This will be examined.

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**Committees appointed for fixing Minimum Wages for Labour.**

*Q.—364. Sri U. M. MADAPPA (Chamarajanagar).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the number of committees appointed by the Government for fixing minimum wages for labour;

(*b*) the total number of members in each committee;

(*c*) the total expenditure on each such committee (T.A. and D.A. to be furnished separately)?

*A.*—Sri T. SUBRAMANYA (Minister for Law, Labour and Local Self-Government).—

(*a*) Eight.

(*b*)

| | *Name of the Committee* | *No. of Members* |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | Local Authorities ... | 12 |
| 2 | Plantaions ... | 11 |
| 3 | Public Motor Transport ... | 11 |
| 4 | Tobacco (including Beedi making Manufactory) ... | 12 |
| 5 | Rice, Flour, Dhal and Oil Mills ... | 16 |
| 6 | Construction or maintenance of Roads or Building operations and Stone Breaking and Stone Crushing operations ... | 15 |
| 7 | Tanneries and leather Manufactory ... | 12 |
| 8 | Agriculture ... | 12 |

(*c*) Expenditure on eaeh Committee as on 31st August, 1959, is as follows:—

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|---|---|---|
| 1 | Minimum Wages Committee for Local Authorities ... | 1,994 |
| 2 | Minimum Wages Committee for Plantations ... | 1,303 |
| 3 | Minimum Wages Committee for Public Motor Transport ... | 1,103 |
| 4 | Minimum Wages Committee for Tobacco (including Beedi making) Manufactory ... | 7,958 |
| 5 | Minimum Wages Committee for Rice, Flour, Dhal and Oil Mills ... | 3,384 |

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| *Name of the Committee* | *No. of Members* |
|---|---|
| 6 Minimum Wages Committee for Construction or Maintenance of Roads, etc. ... | 3,001 |
| 7 Minimum Wages Committee for Tranneries and Leather Manufactory ... | 3,916 |
| 8 Minimum Wages Committee for Agriculture ... | 12,079 |

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**Committee constituted for Admission of Candidates to Medical Colleges.**

*Q.—402. SRI G. DUGGAPPA (Chitradurga).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) when did Government constitute a committee to make selection of candidates for admission to Medical Colleges in the State;

(*b*) what are the terms of reference or rules of conduct of business of this committee;

(*c*) whether this committee was empowered to make rules for admission?

*A.*—SRI K. K. HEGDE (Minister for Health).—

(*a*) 9th June 1959.

(*b*) A copy of the Government Order containing the Rules is given below.

(*c*) No.

"PROCEEDING OF THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

*Subject*:—Rules for admission to Government Medical Colleges in Mysore State and the Dental College, Bangalore.

ORDER NO. LLH 162 MMC 59, BANGALORE, DATED THE 9TH JUNE 1959.

In supersession of the orders passed in respect of admission of candidates to the Government Medical Colleges in Mysore and the Government Dental College, Bangalore, Government direct that the following rules be adopted for selection of candidates for seats in Government Medical Colleges:—

(i) Reservation of seats for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes, other Backward Communities, etc., will be according to the Government Order No. ED. 79 TGL 59, dated 14th May 1959;

(ii) In the selection of candidates, the committees will be required to make their selection on the basis of merit as disclosed by marks obtained in the optional subjects only in the qualifying examination, modified by the next provision;

(iii) Ten per cent of the optional subjects will be allotted for general ability and aptitude and for extra curricular activities, like Sports, N. C. C., Scouting, Social Service and General Physical Condition and Endurance.

The total of the marks obtained, including the optional subjects and those allotted for general ability and extra curricular activities as mentioned above will form the basis for ranking on merit and the committee will make selection accordingly and forward its recommendations to Government for approval."

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**Construction of Hosalli Tank in Koratagere Taluk.**

*Q.—167. SRI K. L. NARASIMHIAH (Hebbur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that an estimate for the construction of Hosalli tank in Kolala hobly in Koratagere taluk was prepared in the past;

(*b*) if so, why it was not sanctioned;

(*c*) whether they will examine and sanction the same early in view of the availability of abundant water potential?

*A.*—SRI H. M. CHANNABASAPPA (Minister for Public Works and Electricity).—

(*a*) Yes.